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"The Genuine Sir Roger Tichborne."

At the Marylebone Police Court, on the 15th inst., says the London "Times," a man who gave the name of Sir Roger Tichborne, and his address as Leland Hotel, New York, was brought before Mr. Mansfield on the charge of being a lunatic at large. Police Sergeant Radford deposed that the prisoner was given into custody for fraudulently obtaining refreshments from Mr. Gray, of No. 96 Praed street, Paddington. The prisoner had been to the Great Western hotel previously, and attempted to obtain refreshments, and they ejected him from the premises. He gave his address as the "John Street Police Station, St. James Hotel." A message was sent to the hotel, and it was found that he was known there by having obtained refreshments to the amount of 5s. 6d., and not paying for them. He had employed two cabmen, who had driven him to various newspaper offices from two o'clock that morning until eight o'clock. The divisional surgeon was sent for, who certified that the prisoner was insane, and he was then charged. He had also said that he had just come out of Horsemonger Lane Jail, having been sentenced to a month's imprisonment for breaking a man's nose on London Bridge. Inquiries were made, and the following telegrams were found written by the prisoner:

From Sir Roger Tichborne to Mr. Disraeli—To the Porter in charge of of the House of Commons:

I am here. Orton is not the man in prison; he must be released. I have sent telegrams to the Queen and the Prince of Wales, and to the papers.

From Sir Roger Tichborne, Bart., St. James Hotel, London, to their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, Abergeldie:

I am here and await the pleasure of being introduced to the future King and Queen and Royal children of England. ROGER TICHBORNE.

From Sir Roger Tichborne to the Managers, Telegraph Company.

SIRS,—I applied to your manager at Charing-cross Telegraph Office to send three telegrams to Disraeli, the Queen, and Prince and Princess of Wales. He refused to send them, as I did not pay, and was impertinent. I demand his dismissal. Witness

ROBERT BAXTER.

After he was charged he asked for some paper and pen and ink, which were supplied to him, and he then wrote the following:

To the head waiter or manager of the St. James Hotel, Picadilly:

SIR: I am arrested and detained at the Police Court for obtaining goods under false pretences and giving a false name and address, I deny this. I am Sir Roger Tichborne Alymer, cousin of Lord Adolphus Aylmer. I have telegraphed to Mr. Disraeli, the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Princess and the Lord Mayor of London.

SIR BERTIE RAYNER TICHBORNE ALYMER.

Lend me £5.

The prisoner in the dock bowed to the people in the body of the court and and then to the Magistrate, remarking that the Sergeant had said he was as mad as a March hare. Mr. Mansfield sent the prisoner to the Paddington Work-house as a lunatic.

DISESTABLISHMENT.—In the recent debate in the House of Lords on the bill to disestablish the Irish Church, the speech of the Bishop of Oxford is acknowledged to have been the best delivered, having in largest measure the qualities of warmth, fervor, readiness and spontaneity—if not, indeed, of wit and humor. Among his unepiscopal functions the Bishop possesses a rare talent for mimicry, and in quoting Lord Grenville imitated his ingenious and coaxing tones so exactly that even the noble earl joined in the laughter. "The unction," says the London "Review," "with which he related the sardonic Dean of St. Patrick's theory about the Irish bishops was irresistible. The Bishop did not read the quotation, but gave it from memory—how that in Dean Swift's time the English Minister used to select the best possible man for an Irish bishop. Unhappily for poor Ireland the holy man, after his consecration, always set out in his chariot to travel down to the west coast. But as, by the laws of geography, he had to pass over Hounslow Heath, the highwaymen beset his cattle, murdered his servants, and pitched the bishop into a ditch. 'The captain of the highwaymen' (added the caustic Dean) 'then puts on his grace's small-clothes and goes over to Ireland, where he acts as bishop in his stead.' It is true that the wit was the Dean's and not the bishop's, but the loud and prolonged laughter was due in great part to the felicitous way in which the Bishop gave the apologue. The Conservative peers may have preferred the speech of Lord Derby, or Lord Salisbury, or the Lord Chancellor, but the favorite orator of the Peeresses' Gallery was certainly the bishop of Oxford." The point will be better understood by the readers of the Drawer when told that the Bishop of Oxford's side is that which appointed "the best possible man for bishop," and that the "highwayman" is the man whom Gladstone would send over to fill the episcopal office.

The Castalia.

A "resident of Calais," gives to the "Times," Sept. 17; his experience of a trip across the Channel in the twin steamer, Castalia, he says:—Having seen the Castalia (the new saloon twin steamer, constructed for the purpose of smoothing the passage over the Channel) arrive here almost daily with passengers, whose number varied from 50 to 150, I had made up my mind to profit by the first really rough day to cross with her and to acquire by personal experience an idea of her capabilities. Yesterday there was a very fresh wind and good swell in the sea, and though the waves were not rolling house-high, I judged from the appearance of the people who arrived by the mail-boat that the day would be very favorable for my purpose. I, therefore, decided at once, had my luncheon (a very good one, by-the-by) on board, and after taking up a few passengers who had been brought down from the Paris train by omnibus belonging to the Castalia Company we started at 1:15 p. m.

As I said before, there was a good swell on the water, but I was at once agreeably surprised, when coming away from the pierheads, to find that she kept very steady on the water, and I can assure you that during the whole voyage not one of about 50 passengers appeared even to think of being sea-sick. I had expected that her broad proportions would have done away with the rolling, but the pitching could not be suppressed whereas I found that she was not at all pitching but that she would roll at very long intervals just once or twice, and then quietly steady herself again. I went down into the various saloons, and there noticed even less motion. When I came on deck again the mail-boat had overtaken us, and then we could see the great difference in the two vessels. Whereas we were going steadily and quietly ahead, the mail-boat was thrown about like a nut-shell. I won't say that we saw her keel, but the paddle came several times out of the water, and then again we had a clear view of the whole deck inclined towards us; and I need not tell you that there was no want of sick people using the basins and assisted by the crew. We reached Dover about ten minuter later than the mail boat, but amply in time for the passengers who wanted to catch the express train to London.

I abstain from speaking about her splendid accommodations of every kind—large and airy saloons, private cabins, spacious deck—others have already talked them to your readers; but I think it is worth while to let them knew that, not only in my humble opinion, but in every one else's, without exception, whom I have seen to have arrived here with her, the Castalia is a perfect success as far as regards the principle of reducing sea-sickness to a minimum. It is a pity she does not go a little faster, but still, if the railway companies and the owners could only come to terms I am certain that passengers would not mind half an hour's longer sea passage if sea-sickness is done away with.

I returned last night by the mail boat, and as the wind had kept increasing the sea was still rougher, and although I am a pretty good sailor, I was heartily sea-sick, and even now that I write I still feel drowsiness in my head. I thing the smell on board of these steamers and the noise of the machinery contribute a great deal to provoke an inclination for sea-sickness, whereas on board the Castalia one enjoys the frosh sea air and is not pickled up like herrings in a cask.

I trust you will find space for these remarks, and by doing so you will not only oblige the writer, but also a great many of those 300,000 passengers who pass yearly this way.

MESSRS. SHAW & KUNA on Broughton street below Government, whose advertisement will be found in another column are now fully prepared to execute all descriptions of boiler making and iron plate work. All persons having jobs of this nature to be done should go round and give the new comers a chance.

The Barren Lands of America.

Whatever may be the real amount of the damage inflicted by the grasshopper plague in Missouri, the Governor's proclamation and its contradiction as just telegraphed only reflect a much wider controversy as to the territories beyond. These have, at any rate, as we lately showed from an account of the Government measures taken to meet distress reaching famine point in the Platte and Nebraska districts, suffered terribly from the visitation, a mere skirt of which has passed over Missouri. But this necessity for relief, the great sufferings endured by recent immigrants, and the backward state of the newer territories, are now explained in an essay published by General Hazen, well known on this side of the Atlantic as Military Commissioner with the Germans during the war, and as a to writer on foreign armies. According this, Americans in particular and the world in general have been utterly deluded hitherto as to the value of the extreme western territories. The very title of his essay, "Our Barren Lands, speaks of its meanng. He calls by this name the vast strip of country running from British territory down to Mexico, and lying generally west of the 100th meridian of longitude. It comprises the western ends of Nebraska, Kansas, Texas, and Dakota, together with the whole of the newer territories or States of Nevada, Arizona, Utah, Colorado, New Mexico, Idaho, and Wyoming; and it is, he states, worthless for agriculture in a commercial sense, as a great part will hardly raise any crops at all, owing to want of rains, the almost universal plague of grasshoppers (which more than take the place of locusts in the East,) and the alkaline nature of the soil. Mineral wealth there may be scattered in it, but otherwise it is nearly valueless. If Gen. Hazen is right, it is evident that certain sanguine views as to the speedy development of the United States by constant "moving out West" must be seriously modified.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

For Sale—To Let.

FOR SALE.

THAT SUBSTANTIAL TWO-STORY BRICK Building, situated on the corner of Government and Yates streets, known as the Alhambra Building. Apply to THOS. C. NUTTALL, se24tf Government street.

To Be Let.

STROMNESS FARM, CONTAINING 400 Acres—40 under cultivation. There is a good House and Outbuildings within 4 miles of Victoria. Apply to se30 1m DRAKE & JACKSON.

NOTICE.

THE SPLENDID DWELLING HOUSE OF the late Capt. W. H. McNeill is offered to lease on a term. The House contains Parlor, Sitting and Dining Rooms, 4 Bedrooms, Kitchen and other necessary Buildings, all hard finished, good Stable and Coach-house, sundry Wells of fine Water, and the Orchard and Garden are in good order.

Immediate possession can be given. The Rent will be LOW to a good tenant.

For particulars apply to H. F. HEISTERMAN, oct 1m Land Agent.

For Sale.

IN NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT 945 Acres of Rich Delta Land on Lulu Island, viz.—Lots 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Block 4, North Range 5 West. For particulars apply to M. J. GOODE, my27tf Insane Asylum, Victoria, B.C.

Old Established Brewery and Saloon For Sale.

THE SALOON AND BREWERY OF THE undersigned, established in 1861 and situated on the Esquimalt Road, half-way between Victoria and Esquimalt, is offered for sale low.

The Buildings are well finished and commodious. The plant of the Brewery is most complete. The land comprises about Two Acres all under fence. There are three never failing Wells of fine Spring Water on the Premises and every appliance for the immediate commencement of Brewing by a Company or Firm with a small capital. Reason for selling, retiring from business.

For particulars apply on the premises.

J. BLAND, oc17 Half-way House, Esquimalt Road.

TO LET.

ONE OF THE BEST FARMS IN VICTORIA District of about 700 acres of land nearly all under fence, with Dwelling Houses, Barns, Stables Sheds, Outhouses, Orchard, etc., etc., and a stream of water always running, situate about 5 miles from town, part of it is under cultivation.

For particulars enquire of LD. LOWENBERG, Real Estate Agent, Government St., se1 Bet. Fort and Broughton sts.

NORFOLK FARM, PEDDER BAY, FOR SALE.

THIS FARM CONTAINS 204 ACRES; 70 acres of which are under cultivation.

The Dwelling-house is substantial and contains Eight Rooms. There are commodious Barns, the usual Outhouses, Dairy, etc.

Two neverfailing streams of water course through the farm; one stream will run a mill ten months in the year.

The property will be sold on advantageous terms. Arrangements may be made for the purchase of the Stock and Farming implements. Apply to A. BUNSTER, Johnson st., Victoria.

Or to E. VINE, oc20dw On the premises.

Farm to Lease.

A FARM CONTAINING 160 ACRES OF Land in the Township of Langley, all Prairie, 50 acres are fenced and 15 acres laid down in grass. The productive quality of this land is well known to be the best in the Province. The weight of oats raised from the land last year was 48lbs. per bushel. The whole farm is now under contract to be fenced in There is a new House containing 4 rooms upstairs with kitchen and dairy attached. The Stock consist of 10 first-class Milch Cows, 2 Yoke of Oxen and 2 head of different ages. This Stock has been selected from the Hudson Bay company's large herd. The Farm Implements are all new. The whole will be let to a reliable party on advantageous terms.

Apply to the proprietor, H. WARK, mh7 1mdw H. B. Co., Langley.

Brahma Fowls For Sale.

100 PURE BRED LIGHT BRAHMA FOWLS. The best layers known. Price $1 each, by JOHN GERRITSEN, Baker and Grocer, Humboldt st., Victoria. se9dw

Notices.

NOTICE.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED, TRADING under the name of H. T. Mann & Co., Fort St., Victoria, do hereby agree this day to dissolve partnership.

HENRY THOMAS MANN. HENRY SOAR.

Witness—ROBT. HERON.

The undersigned will collect all debts due to the late firm of H. T. Mann & Co. and pay all liabilities.

H. T. MANN.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 22d, 1875. se26

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXisting between Barrington Price and Henry Nicholson, as traders and stock-raisers of Rock Creek and Keremeoos, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

BARRINGTON PRICE. H. NICHOLSON.

Witness—MARION THOMAS.

KEREMEOOS, B.C., Sept. 13th, 1875. oct 1m

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Hong Yuen, Ah See and Chong Tie as farmers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Hong Yuen will continue the business, pay debts and receive all monies.

HONG YUEN, AH SEE, CHONG TIE.

Witness—M. W. T. Drake. Victoria, 16th Sept., 1875. se

John Jenkin Smith,

PAINTER, FORMERLY OF 3, GRAMBY street, Plymouth, England, and late of Vancouver's Island. Information of him will be gladly received by his mother at 49 eswick street, Plymouth, or by Mrs. C. J. Mahony, 7 Hughes street, Brook street, Manchester, England. au31 1mdw

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF

Mules or Horses,

BELONGING TO THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order, MARCUS SMITH, VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province my brother, Mr. Jesse Cowper, holds my Power of Attorney.

H. M. COWPER. Victoria, Aug. 28, 1875. au29

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please hand in the same; and those indebted to the firm will please pay their accounts.

JESSE & H. M. COWPER. January 21st, 1875. ja22

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

Mr. W. JACKSON,

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PRESCRIPTIONS DISPENSED.

RESIDENCE—Michigan street, James' Bay. ap1

Notice to Mariners.

THE SHOAL PATCHES OFF THE SAND Spit, "Sidney Island," in "Sidney Channel," represented on the Admiralty Charts as having Two fathoms and Three fathoms at low water ordinary springs, are marked incorrectly.

The Eastern Shoal, or that nearest to the Sand Spit, has but SIX feet, and the Western Shoal but NINE feet of water at low tide ordinary springs.

JAMES COOPER, Department of Marine & Fisheries, Agent. British Columbia Agency, April 27th, 1875. ap2

Estate of Captain W. H. McNeill, Deceased.

THE DEBTORS AND CREDITORS OF William Henry McNeill, late of Victoria District, Gentleman, who died on or about the 4th day of September, 1875, are requested to pay their debts and send particulars of their claims respectively to R. Williams, Esq., or Capt. Lewis (both of the Hudson Bay Company), the Executors of the deceased, or to MR. E. JOHNSON, Solicitor to the Estate. Victoria, 16th Sept., 1875. se17dw

Dentistry.

R. B. THOMPSON, DENTIST,

Office, - - - Occidental Building, (Up Stairs,) Cor. GOVERNMENT & FORT Sts., VICTORIA, B. C. au7

C. F. Barnard, M. D., DENTIST,

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE: DOUGLAS STREET. Between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store. VICTORIA, May 11th, 1875.

A. Casamayou & Co.,

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CASH ADVANCES made on Consignments to my correspondents in New York and London. je7 8m

Postal.

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Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

On Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, and Newfoundland, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A. M. to 7 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1874. no4

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ONE PRICE & NO ABATEMENT. se10

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Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds of FRENCH KIP AND CALF, UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY, Also, SEWING MACHINES adapted for Shoemakers, my28 CASH PAID FOR HIDES.

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CURING Costiveness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Dysentry, Foul Stomach & Breath, Erysipelas, Headache, Piles Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Tetter, Tumors and Salt Rheum, Worms, Gout, Neuralgia, as a Dinner Pill, and Purifying the Blood,

Are the most congenial purgative yet effected. Their effects abundantly show how much they excel all other Pills. They are safe and pleasant to take, but powerful to cure. They purge out the foul humors of the blood; they stimulate the sluggish or disordered organ into action; and they impart health and tone to the whole being. They cure not only the every day complaints of everybody, but formidable and dangerous diseases. Most skilful physicians, most eminent clergymen, and our best citizens send certificates of cures performed and of great benefits they have derived from these Pills. They are the best physic for children, because mild and effectual. Being sugar-coated, they are easy to take; and being purely vegetable, they are entirely harmless.

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Paint Brushes, all Sizes,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

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MERCHANTS, MECHANICS, FARMERS, everybody will find it to their advantage to go to HARRISON'S for Stationery, Writing Materials, Envelopes, etc.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN WILL FIND a nice assortment of Fancy Boxed Note Paper, just opened at HARRISON'S, COLONIST BUILDING.

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THE PRESENT STOCK OF TOYS WILL be sold at cost to make way for new shipments by W. HARRISON, Government street, COLONIST OFFICE. se11

REMOVAL.

MRS. HALPENNY TAKES THIS OPPORtunity of returning thanks for the patronage so liberally bestowed upon her during the past six months and of informing her patrons and the public that she has removed from Fort street to YATES ST., next door above Mrs. Bowman's, where she will continue the

Mantle and Dressmaking Business. se5

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Mrs. Maynard's NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY

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On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage. jy23

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TUESDAY MORNING, OCT. 19TH, 1875.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

The Deadlock.

Readers of the *Standard*, who eagerly scanned its columns yesterday morning, must have been considerably disappointed at not finding therein a denial or at least an explanation of the fresh complications that are said to have arisen between Canada and this Province. Certainly the public are entitled to information on a subject so nearly concerning their present and future prosperity. The assertion was broadly made in THE COLONIST that the Canadian Government had refused to make further pecuniary advances to this Government, and that certain drafts and checks upon Ottawa had been returned dishonored! This is a matter intimately affecting the solvency of the Government and the progress of the Province. Had the same thing been published concerning a mercantile firm having extensive ramifications in every part of the country, with hundreds of persons dependent upon it for subsistance, the country would have been informed as to the truth or falsity of the report within a very few hours after its promulgation. Every avenue through which information might be supposed to percolate would be searched for reliable intelligence; and the parties most interested would be the first to come forward to deny or acknowledge the correctness of the report. In such a crisis and at such a time the Government are bound to make public all the information they may possess. If they have not overtaxed their borrowing powers, if their drafts have not been dishonored, if matters have not come to a deadlock with Canada, it is their duty to allay public distrust and uneasiness at the earliest possible moment. If, on the other hand, they are the possessors of information which, if published, will substantiate our statement, it is their duty to make it public without delay. There should be no shirking allowed. The people who are interested in the solvency of the Government have an undoubted right to know how they stand. Contractors for public works, merchants who supply them, and men who labor on the contracts, have a right to demand to be told if the financial policy of the Government has proved a failure so as to guard against possible loss. Indeed, there are so many weighty interests hanging to and dependent upon the question that we are surprised a single hour was allowed to elapse without an explanation being given. Months ago we denounced the financial policy of the Government as rotten. We told the country that to borrow money of Canada at a time when the Province expected to have a lawsuit with her was fraught with danger and disaster. In the name of the people we protested against the borrowing policy, and we were called traitors for our pains by the $3769-a-year organ of the Government—an organ that is now as dumb as an oyster on a subject that nearly concerns every man, woman and child in the Province. Since Friday last rumors of impending financial disaster have been flying from mouth to mouth. It is said that contractors are in town vainly seeking payment on account of their contracts; that the Banks have "shut down" on the Government; that the contract on the cofferdam will not be consummated; that the Government is already in debt $500,000 with no prospect of paying any part of it off; that Canada refuses to loan the Province any more money, and has deducted the amount already loaned from the annual subsidy; that agents of the Government have approached private individuals for loans at heavy rates of interest and been refused; and that, generally, the entire Government fabric is in a state bordering on collapse. To these reports is added the most significant and damaging of all, viz: that the Government received dispatches from Ottawa on the 28th of August last to the effect that NO MORE DRAFTS WOULD BE HONORED, and that the House was dissolved two days afterwards and the elections hurried on so that they might be over before the news became generally known and the Government's political prospects injured thereby! If this last accusation be true it is the most wicked act the Government has yet been guilty of. With a full knowledge of the fact that they had no money and were not likely to get any, they awarded contracts, held out delusive hopes of public improvements, made promises to pay which cannot be fulfilled; and all for what? To endeavor to have tools returned in the various Districts who would vote for their policy no matter how ruinous it might prove. Yes; they seem to have set coolly and deliberately to work to cruelly sacrifice and ruin men who put faith in their promises and engagements so that they might carry the election! We now call on the Government or its organ to state clearly, distinctly and unequivocally the precise state of affairs. The question cannot be shirked. It is too momentous—too far-reaching in its effects to be slurred over.

Responsible Government.

An article appeared in the *Mainland Guardian*, one day last week, in which some severe and deserved strictures were visited on the present Government of this Province. In the course of the article the writer took occasion to laud the popular system of Government as it exists elsewhere; but he showed that as carried out by the quartette who rule here that it is a sham. Every one knows that the most sacred principles of Responsible Government have been persistently violated by the quartette. It didn't require the *Guardian* to tell them that; and we should not be found referring to it now were it not for the fact that the *Standard* in this city has taken hold of the article referred to and so twisted and distorted its meaning as to try and convey the idea that the Reform Party is opposed to responsible institutions, when it is notorious that it was a violation of Constitutional principles that first called the party into existence in this Province! Why, the gentleman who sits as Premier in the Cabinet voted in four successive Legislative Councils against the introduction of Responsible Government; and even when the infamous Crown system of Government was at its last gasp, he voted for its retention! These are facts of which any one, by consulting the Journals of the Legislative Council, may inform himself. The true mission of the Reform Party is to govern the Province in accordance with the well understood wishes of the people, and not in accordance with the selfish interests of cliques and rings. There is no danger of any organ of Reform supporting a system of Government that is opposed to the spirit and genius of the age—a system that would perhaps be tolerated by subdued Hottentots or Russian serfs; but which is loathed by freemen, and would be resisted to the death. No party, no man, no newspaper, that would advocate a return to the Crown system of Government would meet with any encouragement from Reformers. What we fear is that the James' Bay Government are plotting to strangle our liberties and make themselves perpetual rulers with inherent claims on their offices!

New Advertisements.

IMMEDIATE SALE

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Dancing Classes.

GENTLEMEN WHO WOULD LIKE TO receive instruction in Fancy Dances, Quadrilles, etc., will please meet on THURSDAY Evening, in the old Gymnastic Hall, View street.
oc19 F. SPOHR.

TO BUILDERS.

WHOLE OR SEPARATE TENDERS WILL be received at my office on Kane street, where plans and specifications may be seen till 2 p.m. Thursday the 28th inst., for the erection of a villa residence on Menzies street, James Bay.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.
Kane street, Oct. 18th, 1875. oc19

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SALVADOR,

CAPTAIN - - - - - A. G. JONES.

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AT 1 O'CLOCK, P. M.

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With an entire Change of Programme.

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"Miss Holbrook displays great talent, her entertainments are very enjoyable."—S. F. Bulletin.

Admission $1; Pit 50 Cents.

Doors open at 7, to commence a 8 o'clock.
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ON THE

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At ONE o'clock, p. m.

When the sailing day falls on **Sunday** the Steamers will sail the **day after**, so as to connect with the steamers from Puget Sound, oc17

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Wharf Street, Victoria

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure share of the public support.
Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for cash.
☞ Liberal advances made on Consignments
Books kept or audited, balance sheets made up, tements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted. oc17

Horses For Sale.

THREE YOUNG HORSES

Perfectly Sound and quiet to Ride or Drive,

The Property of Hon. Capt. Hare, R.N.

If not disposed of at private sale will be sold by auction on WEDNESDAY NEXT at 12 m. at J. P. Davies & Co's Auction Rooms, Wharf street.
Also—A BUGGY, in first-class order. oc16

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A HOUSE ON NORTH PARK STREET, with Good Garden and Orchard.
Apply to T. ALLSOP & CO.,
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WILL REALLY OFFER HIS LARGE AND ELEGANT NEW STOCK AT

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General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1875.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in Circulation	$239,808 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$158,308 81
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	5,389 43	Gold and Silver Bullion	26,503 18
Deposits not bearing interest	$814,721 86	Landed and other Property	32,423 44
Deposits bearing interest	60,863 79 875,585 65	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	335,133 80
		All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	902,211 18
Total amount of Liabilities	$1,120,783 08	Total amount of Assets	$1,454 580 41

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 30th Sept, 1875 ..... $1,490,607 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 8 ½ cent. ⅌ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared ..... $ 59,600 00
Amount of Reserved profit after declaring such Dividend ..... $ 132,825 00

(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, pro. Manager.
W. POWELL, pro. Accountant.

VICTORIA, B.C., 30th Sept., 1875.

I, CHARLES SEPTIMUS JONES, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 12th day of Oct., 1875.
oc13 (Signed) R. P. RITHET, J. P.

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1875:

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$110,234 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 91,173 50
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	21,016 19	Gold Bullion	22,788 00
Deposits on call not bearing int	163,071 27	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	5,604 00
Deposits not on call bearing interest	431,039 33	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	447,411 37
		Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	194,519 41
Total amount of Liabilities	$731,360 79	Total amount of Assets	$779,496 28

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1875 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 10 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year $250,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend $1,251,244 33

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, 6th Oct., 1875. ANDREW B. RITCHIE, Act'g Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."
[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 6th day of Oct., 1875.
oc7 [Signed] DAVID LENEVEU, J. P.

DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS, 1875.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The next Division of Profits will be made among Policies in existence at 15th November, 1875, and all who assure on or before that date will rank for a year's bonus on that occasion.

THE STANDARD

LIFE ASSURANCE CO.,

Established 1825.

GOVERNOR:

HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

Head Office, Edinburgh, 3 & 5 George St.

THE FORTY-NINTH ANNUAL GENERAL Meeting of the Company was held at Edinburgh on Wednesday, the 28th April, 1875, when the following results were communicated.

RESULTS COMMUNICATED I REPORT BY THE DIRECTORS.

Amount Proposed for Assurance during the Year 1874 (2001) Proposals £1,342,935 18 0
Amount of Assurances accepted during the year 1874 (1671) Policies £1,088,665 18 0
Annual Premiums on New Policies during the year 1874. - - - £35,891 17 1
Claims by Death during the year 1874, exclusive of bonus additions - £336,644 7 11
Amount of Assurances accepted during the last five years - - - £5,720,234 19 10
Subsisting Assurances at 15th November, 1874, (of which £986,103, 12s. 1s Reassured with other offices) £17,779,362 2 6
REVENUE, £733,111 19s. 9d. per annum.
ASSETS, £4,821,005 17s. 10.

A Full Report of the proceedings at the meeting and all further information may be obtained on application at the Agency of the Company.
SPENCER C. THOMPSON, Manager.
D. CLUNIE GREGOR, Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA—VICT. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

J. F. McCREIGHT, Esq., Barrister, M.P.P.
A. J. LANGLEY, Esq., J.P.
WILLIAM BAINES, Esq., Merchant.
C. S. JONES, Esq., Accountant Bank British Col.
JOHN GOODFELLOW, Esq., Manager Bank B. N. A.
MEDICAL OFFICER—DR. JAMES TRIMBLE.
Agents and Secretaries to the Board—
se12 2m2p STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

To Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEhalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. on Wednesday next, the 20th instant, for the erection of a Sail Loft and Paint Store combined; likewise, for the erection of four Small Cottages in the Naval Yard.
The Sail Loft and Paint Store combined are to be tendered for separately from the Cottages.
Plans and specifications of these works can be seen at this office any day between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. (Sunday excepted) and Mr. Teague, Architect, Government street, Victoria, can supply all requisite particulars.
The lowest or any tendor not necessarily accepted.
J. H. INNES,
Royal Naval Yard, Naval Storekeeper.
Esquimalt, 16th Oct., 1875. oc16

COAL and WOOD!

THE BEST

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Delivered in any part of the city at

$9 the American Ton.

Best Dry Firewood

AT $4 50 PER CORD.

OFFICE—On Dickson, Campbell & Co's Wharf, Store street.
W. R. CLARKE.
Victoria, Oct. 9th, 1875. oc19

Municipal.

TO ARCHITECTS.

DESIGNS FOR A "CITY HALL" AND "City Market" are invited, and will be received by the undersigned until the 21st day of Oct'r. next ensuing, at 4 o'clock p. m., at the City Clerk's Office, where further particulars can be obtained.
A Premium of $250 will be paid for the best and $100 for the next best design.
By order of the Mayor and Council.
WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, July 10th, 1875. oc7

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that for the preservation of the public health, and as soon as arrangements can be made, a certain number of the Indians now residing within the City Limits will be ordered by the Board of Health to be removed beyond said limits, in pursuance of section 2 of "The Victoria Health Bylaw, 1869," in such cases made and provided.
(Signed) J. S. DRUMMOND, Mayor.
City Council Chambers,
August 28th, 1875. au28

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

SCALE OF CHARGES FOR WATER

Dwellings containing not over 4 Adults, $1 per m'th
do do over 4 Adults, by agreement.
Bathrooms, Gardens and Private Stables extra by agreement.
Rates for other occupations can be obtained at the office on application.
JAS. D. ROBINSON,
City Council Chambers, Water Commissioner.
Broad street, Aug. 26th, 1875. au27

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

PERSONS WHO DESIRE TO HAVE Water service to their premises on any street where the mains are laid, will please make application as early as convenient.
Scale of Charges and cost of service, also form of application, can be had at my office.
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Council Chambers, Commissioner.
Broad street, Aug. 27th, 1875. au28

MUNICIPAL.

REAL ESTATE TAX, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Real Estate Tax for the Current Year is due and payable at my office, Broad street.
THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector,
Corporation of City of Victoria.
Municipal Council Chambers,
Victoria, June 1, 1875. jel

Closing Out!

Mrs. HUSTON

BEING ABOUT TO CLOSE HER BUSIness offers the balance of her stock, consisting of Powder, Shot, Guns, Pistols, Fishing Rods, Fishing Tackle, and all kinds of Gun Caps, Wads, Gun and Pistol Cartridges. Also, a large lot of Gun Material and Gunsmith's Tools at **Greatly Reduced Prices.**
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 4th, 1875. oc5 1m

SAN FRANCISCO BATHS.

HAVING REBUILT OUR BATHHOUSES, destroyed by the late fire, the undersigned will open the establishment to the public

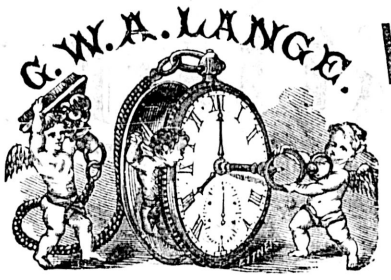
This (Saturday) Oct. 2d, 1875.

Every convenience attached to the best Baths on the coast will be found here.
Thankful for past patronage, we respectfully request a continuance of the same.
oc2 GEIGER & BECKER.

HURRAH FOR LOCOMOTION!!

THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED TO buy, sell or trade goods of all descriptions.
Parties desirous of discontinuing housekeeping will meet a Cash Buyer on application.
☞ The Highest Cash Price paid for Ladies' and Gentlemen's Wearing Apparel.
FOR SALE—A complete set of Mathematical Instruments, Wheeler & Wilson and Singer Sewing Machines, Grappling Irons, etc.
R. HAGGERTY,
oc2 1m Store street.

New Advertisements.



WATCHMAKER

—AND—

JEWELLER,

YATES STREET,

VICTORIA, B. C.

Has just returned from San Francisco with a Large and Elegant Stock of

GOLD & SILVER WATCHES OF THE FINEST QUALITY.

Here you can find the English Watch direct from England, the Swiss and American Watch, Stem and Key Winders, and the celebrated LANGE WATCH.

ALSO—A Very Large and Handsome Variety of

Every Description of JEWELLERY,

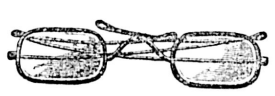
A CHOICE LOT OF SILVER PLATED AND SILVERWARE

A d a splendid assortment of New Style of

CLOCKS in Bronze and Black Walnut Cases.

Persons intending to buy will be well paid for their trouble by inspecting my Stock, and will find that my prices are so reasonable that everybody can afford to buy. Customers will always find the latest styles of Jewellery at my store, as I have made arrangements to receive a continuous supply.
Thanking the public generally for past favors, I need hardly add that I will try my best to keep up my reputation in Chronometer, Watch and Jeweller work, which I trust I have established here during the last 13 years, and with this promise I hope the public will continue their patronage.
se19 G. W. A. LANGE.

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.



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WATCHES, JEWELRY, ETC.,

FOR THE NEXT SIXTY DAYS

AT COST PRICE!

The whole Stock must be disposed of on account of the health of the Proprietor rendering it necessary for him to leave the Province.

Orders from the Country faithfully attended to.
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL

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MANUFACTURING

JEWELER & WATCHMAKER,

Has Removed to Government Street,

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DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELERY, SILVER PLATEDWARE & SPECTACLES,

In British Columbia has lately been abroad to make a personal selection and has succeeded in making arrangements with the principal European and American Manufacturers for a regular supply, which enables him to sell at such

Unprecedently Low Prices

As to entirely defy competition. H. R. being the

ONLY MANUFACTURER & PRACTICAL WORKING JEWELER

In the Province, purchasers will find it to their advantage to give him the preference. They can rely upon his superior knowledge of the QUALITY of the goods selected by himself. se22

GRANDEST RAFFLE

Of the Season

FOR A DIAMOND RING!

VALUE $300. AND A GENUINE

Jules Jurgensen Watch!

COST $350.

Has an independent second hand for timing; guaranteed one of the most perfect timekeepers on the coast.

The Raffle will take place at

LOVETT'S SALOON, Government Street,

As soon as the Chances are all taken.

210 TICKETS AT $2 50 EACH.

The highest throw has the choice of the Ring or Watch, the lowest to take the other.
☞ The Prizes can be seen in Rudolph's window, Government street. oc8tf

SAMPLE ROOMS,

GOVERNMENT St., VICTORIA,

Next to St. George Hotel.

Open Day and Night

THE BEST OF

WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS.
oc12

TUITION.

A LADY WILL BE GLAD TO RECEIVE A few children between the ages of 7 and 12 to educate with her own family. For further information inquire of MRS. NEWTON,
au18dw* Katesey, Fraser River.

COAL!!

THE BEST

SCREENED NANAIMO COAL,

Delivered to any part of the city by the undersigned at

$9 00 the American Ton.

BEST DRY FIREWOOD

AT $4 50 PER CORD.

ENGELHARDT & CO.
Victoria, 9th Oct., 1875. oc9

T. SHAW & J. KUNA,

Boiler Makers

—AND—

Sheet Iron Workers,

HAVE ESTABLISHED A BOILER SHOP on Broughton Street, corner of Government, and are prepared to estimate on and contract for new work at MODERATE PRICES.
Particular attention paid to Repairs.
P. O. Box 189, Victoria, B. C. oc5 3m*

Canadian Pacific Railway.

THE OFFICES OF THE CANADIAN PAcific Railway have been removed to

Dominion Block,

Opposite the Bank of British Columbia on Government street. oc5

THE MAILS FOR THE SOUND WILL close at 6 o'clock p. m. every Thursday, as the North Pacific will leave at 4 a. m. on Friday. oc6

Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, OCT. 19TH, 1875.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

Nanaimo.

[Free Press, Oct. 16.]

WELLINGTON COLLIERY.—The locomotive, to be used in the more speedy transportation of coal from the rapidly progressing Wellington Colliery, has been shipped at San Francisco on board the Washington Libby, and the bark is now on the way to Departure Bay for a cargo of Wellington coal. The increased demand for this coal has necessitated a large addition to the shipping capacity of this colliery. Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co., the enterprising proprietors, are meeting this necessity by erecting a new and commodious wharf, and the purchase of the locomotive before mentioned. We learned that arrangements are being made whereby any size vessel can be loaded at any stage of tide, the cars and shute to be raised or lowered as the exigencies of the case may require by a pair of small stationary engines.

It becomes our painful duty this morning to chronicle the death of one of the pioneers of Nanaimo. On Thursday night Mr. Henry Goss, a settler on Gabriola Island, who has been ailing for some time, took some medicine, and in attempting to reach the door fell prostrate to the ground and almost immediately expired.

The ship Lady Farnham will complete her cargo of 2000 tons of Wellington coal this morning and will leave during the day for San Francisco.

VICTORIA FIRE DEPARTMENT CHARITABLE FUND.—Some 13 years and a-half ago the nucleus of a fund for charitable purposes was formed from the proceeds of an amatour concert given at Theatre Royal. This fund has been increased from various sources until the present time, when it amounts to about $4000, with which amount the members of the Department have experienced some difficulty in dealing, owing to the want of incorporation. At a late meeting of the Board of Delegates it was resolved that an association, to be styled "The Victoria Fire Department Charitable Association" should be incorporated, and that any active member of the Fire Department should be eligible to membership on payment of an entrance fee of 50 cents. The objects of the association are to relieve its members who shall have been injured or disabled while in active service, and the indigent widows and orphans of members, and to assist in defraying the funeral expenses of any member of the Fire Department killed or who shall die from injuries received in active service. The business of the Association will be conducted by five trustees, two of whom shall be the Chief Engineer and the President for the time being of the Fire Department, the remaining three trustees to be elected annually, one by each of the three existing fire companies, at their regular meeting in January of each year. The present members are: J. Wrigglesworth, E. Grancini, Thos. Shotbolt, E. Dickinson, and J. Sehl.

ENCOURAGING.—The *Standard* announces that there is now "no doubt *but that* active Railway work will be commenced next year." If there is no doubt "but that," etc., what sense can there be in the howls for secession that every now and then emanate from the *Standard* office? It is encouraging to have the assurance. Let us hear no more secession howling from the Government side of the House. The organ-in-chief has now no doubt that work will be commenced next year, in spite of bad grammar and abuse. That assurance ought to satisfy the most inveterate Canadian-hater in the country.

HOPE-YALE ROAD.—Messrs. Hick & Tierney have just about finished their road contract between Hope and Yale. A passenger who came down by the Enterprise passed over the greater part of the road and speaks of it in the highest terms. He says the contractors have been kept strictly to the specifications, and that the road will be passable at all seasons of the year. Messrs. H. and T. are both Victorians, and their fellow townsmen will be glad to learn that they have achieved an honorable distinction on the Mainland for the excellence of their work.

TO THE CORE!—The *Sentinel* announces that Cariboo is "Sound to the Core." Ah! indeed it is. And because it is "sound to the core" and will not be dictated to by you and your owner, you will have to trumpet the intelligence of the return of Messrs. Davie and Evans—the one, according to you, a "bird of passage and not to be trusted by the Government," and the other "utterly unreliable and likely to work with the Opposition." There are other ways of killing a dog besides choking him with butter, Mr. Sentinel.

ICE MOSS.—Mr. Geo. Frye, of the Customs, has received some beautiful specimens of glacier moss from Stickeen. It is of a light color, light, delicate and spongy in substance, and is of a species quite unknown in other latitudes. This moss is said to grow thickly and luxurantly on glaciers in the far North, thriving without the benefit of an inch of soil or earthy deposit!

GENERAL SELBY SMITH and party, consisting of Hon. Miles Stapleton, A.D. C., Hon. T. D. Fitzwilliam, and Mr. A. Vowel, with Capt. Ward came on to Spokane, from which place the General and his aides went forward via Walla Walla, and were expected to arrive per North Pacific last night. Capt. Ward came round by way of Hope and arrived here on Saturday.

THE Salvador is expected to arrive from Puget Sound to-day, and will sail to-morrow for San Francisco.

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Municipal Police Court.

[Before A. C. Elliott, Esq.,]

MONDAY, Oct. 18th.

Harry, a Fort Rupert Indian, was sent to prison for 3 days for being drunk and disorderly.

John Foster was brought up on remand charged with attempting to commit a rape, but the woman and her husband failing to appear, the prisoner was discharged with a caution.

Public Finances.

We heard last night that $40,000 had been borrowed by the Government to enable them to tide over the present financial difficulty, and that the greater part of that sum was paid out yesterday. We hope this is not a baseless rumor. The Government should put forth every effort to pay the contractors who are now clamoring for their money; although we hope that no new contracts will be given out or works commenced under the present alarming state of affairs.

MISS IMOGENE HOLBROOK.—This talented young lady made her first appearance last evening at Theatre Royal and favored a select and appreciative audience with a number of fine readings and recitations. Combined with a handsome face and graceful figure, the young lady possesses a finely-modulated voice and the art of making most of the best points. "Proud Miss McBride" though rather long was well read. The "Baron's Last Banquet" was a magnificent effort, accomplished with thrilling effect and powerful pathos, notwithstanding the indisposition of the reader. The "Tent Scene between Brutus and Cassius" required all the energy at the young lady's command, but she got through successfully. A charming recitation was the "Idyl of Battle Hollow," sparkling with wit and vivacity and delightfully recited. It was followed by an "Irishwoman's Letter," a piece abounding in emotional effect. In the second part "The Letter Scene from Macbeth," "Darius Green," and "The Battle of Waterloo" were well delivered. But the crowning piece of the evening was "The Maniac," which was recited better than we have ever heard it. The acting was superb and a thrill of sympathic sorrow seemed to run through the house at the sufferings of the maniac....This evening there will be another entertainment and an entire change of programme.

CHICAGO, the largest grain market in the world, handles about 90,000,000 bushels annually, and has now in operation eighteen steam elevators, with a capacity of 15,350,000 bushels, or more than the average product of 1,000,000 acres of the fertile wheat-producing lands of the continent. Their capacity varies from 200,000 bushels to 1,500,000. The entire cost of the eighteen elevators now in operation was about five million dollars, exclusive of the cost of the grounds on which they stand.

ACCORDING to the San Francisco *Bulletin* the immigration into California has been greater this year than at any other time since that which followed the discovery of gold. The immigration from all quarters for the last eight months exceeds that to New York during the same period by more than twelve thousand.

THE SESSIONAL PAPERS.—The elections being about over the Government have allowed the Sessional Papers to see the light. "Bad cess to 'em"—the Government, we mean—for their knavery in holding back these valuable documents which were so damaging to the Government and so honorable to the Opposition.

"WAKE!"—The *Herald* says that THE COLONIST wants a coalition Ministry formed. Nonsense! The Government have been so badly beaten that there is nothing left to coalesce with.

LIGHTNING CREEK.—Last week's wash up dispatch received by Mr. Mills:—Van Winkle Co., 760 ozs.; Victoria Co., 210 ozs.; Vulcan Co., 73.

THE steamer North Pacific left for Port Townsend yesterday, and will return at 9 o'clock this morning with the mails.

REV. A. B. NICHOLSON (Presbyterian) will preach Sunday, Oct. 24th, at Cedar Hill, 11 a.m.; Craigflower, 3 p. m. *

STOP THIEF!—Kokesailah schoolhouse has been stripped of its windows, doors and furniture by unknown parties.

THE City of Panama reached San Francisco on Sunday.

THE next mail steamer will sail from San Francisco for Victoria to-morrow.

NUGGET.—Mr. R. Lyons brought a $110 nugget from Cassiar.

The Ashcroft Races.

EDITOR COLONIST:—The Ashcroft annual races came off on the 5th and 6th inst. The following is summary of races.

Thompson River stakes, mile and repeat. Dixon's brown mare Nell Flaherty, 1st; McConnell's bay stud Henry Welch 2nd. The flag dropped to a very even send off. Welch cut out the running at a clinking pace and at the half was three lengths ahead; at this point the mare was given her head and she shot past him like a flash, coming in under a hard pull five lengths ahead. McConnell claimed the race and money on account of foul riding by Flaherty's jockey; but his claim was not allowed. He withdrew his horse and the mare walked over the course for the purse.

The scurry stakes single dash ¼ mile—Dixon's sorrel mare Trifle, 1st; McConell's Humming Bird, 2nd; McCarthy's brown g. Whitefoot, 3rd. Trifle won with ease by two lengths.

The Colonial stakes for 2, 3, and 4 year old, bred in the province, weight for age, single dash ¼ mile. J. Ward's sorrel g. 3 year old Hopeful, 1st; J. Beddard's buckskin g. 3 year old "Win if he Can," 2nd; Cornwall Bros. bay colt, 3rd. This was a good and exciting race, Hopeful shot to the front immediately the flag dropped, "Win if he Can" close up; they ran thus till near the finish where "Win if he Can" tired away to nothing, and Hopeful running strong and true passed the score two lengths to the good. "Win if he Can" was the favorite at even against the field.

The Tally Ho stakes, ¾ mile over four hurdles, had only two entries. J. Craig's Grey Prince, 1st; Owner's Lightfoot, 2nd. Grey Prince had things all his own way and won with ease. He is a capital jumper and runs well, The last two races were run in a heavy shower, which put a damper on the sport.

The Settlers stakes, ¼ mile dash, was the opening race for the day. Dixon's sorrel mare Trifle, 1st; McConnell's sorrel mare Humming Bird, 2nd; Blatchford's cream mare Snow Bird, 3rd; McClarty's bay g. Whitefoot, 4th. The flag dropped to a good start after a long delay, McConnell withdrawing his mare. Trifle won. Hands down. The next race on the bill of fare was the "Darby," single dash 1¼ miles, for which the following horses were entered: McConnell's bay s. Henry Welch, 1st; Dixon's chesnut g. Bulger Dick, 2nd; McCarty's brown g. Whitefoot, 3rd. Bulger Dick was a slight favorite in the betting circles. They got the word at the first attempt, Welch went to the front at once and took up the running at a rattling pace; he had opened two lengths of daylight between himself and Bulger Dick as they passed the half mile pole, from this point the jockey on Bulger tried to decrease the space, but without avail, Welch crossing the score two lengths ahead. It was a very closely contested race. Time by Hautier's chronometer, 3 minutes 5 and seconds.

The Cayote stakes, ¾ of a mile over 4 hurdles with the following entries; J. Craig's Grey Prince, and J. McIntyre's Danger. This was a repetition of the previous day's race. Grey Prince took all his hurdles in fine style and won easily

The Ashcroft cup, single dash of one mile; McConnell's bay s. Henry Welch, and Dixon's sorrel g. Oregon Dick. This was considered a sure thing for Oregon Dick, being his distance exactly, but the pot was upset by Henry Welch crossing the score six lengths to the front, winner of the race and money.

The Consolation stakes for beaten horses was the last on the card; Dixon's Oregon Dick and Blatchford's Snow-Ball. Oregon Dick made a better show in this race and won by five lengths.

This brought the meeting to a close; everyone seemed to enjoy themselves, and taking it all through the sport was good. The culinary department of the Ashcroft House was first class.

A match race for $100 aside, distance one mile, was made between the following;—Robt. Doutitt's sorrel g. Jack, and H. Clark's brown mare Maggie. Jack won with ease, threugh the good riding of his jockey.

GALOPIN.

Political Meetings at Lillooet.

FRIDAY, Oct 8, 1875.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. James Crozier at 8 o'clock, who moved that William Chadwick take the chair, which was seconded by R. Carson. The motion being put to the meeting was carried. On motion B. D. Bullard was chosen Secretary. There was a large gathering of the electors of the district present, together with all the candidates for Legislative honors except one.

The Chairman, after stating the object of the meeting, called on Mr. Brown, who came forward and gave an account of his action in the Assembly during the last session of the House and his course in future if elected. Mr. Wm. Saul was next called to the stand. Mr. Saul spoke strongly in favor of the Walkem Government. Mr. Wm. Morrison was next introduced, and in a straightforward manner gave his version of the political issues of the day, which were well received. Capt. J. Martley next came forward and gave the electors his course of action if elected. The last speaker was Mr. J. K. S. Hughes, who gave the speech of the evening to the electors present and who, in a few well-timed remarks, told them to go to the polls on the 25th inst. and vote for the men who they thought would do their duty to their district and the Province.

All the candidates and speakers spoke strongly against the present Government with the exception of Mr. Saul, who is the only Government candidate in the field.

After a vote of thanks to the Chairman and Secretary for the manner in which they had conducted the meeting it adjourned at a late hour.

The meeting was the largest and most interesting political gathering held at Lillooet for many years.

WM. CHADWICK, Chairman.
BENJ. D. BULLARD, Secretary.

Politics at Cariboo.

EDITOR COLONIST:—As political matters appear to run very high in the district at the present time, a few items from here about the same, might be of some interest to your numerous subscribers. There are seven

CANDIDATES

in the field for Parliamentary honors for Cariboo District, viz; Messrs. Walkem, Barnston, Park, Pearson, and Robertson, all Government; and Messrs. Davie and Evans, Reform. The two latter will be at the head of the poll. The contest for the other seat will be between Walkem and Robertson. It is the general opinion that the votes will be so split up between them that Walkem will have a very hard run for it. In this part of the District we have never yet had an opportunity of hearing the views of any of the Government supporters. They are not men enough to come and explain to us what good they have done for the country during the past two years. We were in anticitation of having the pleasure of hearing the Hon. Premier explain either at Quesnelle or at Soda Creek, his celebrated mission to England, which we have heard so much about, but from which we fail to see any good results. Mr. Walkem was asked at Soda Creek, and also at Quesnelle, to call a meeting and explain to the people what his next course will be if elected. He told them that he was pressed for time and could not give them an hour or so to explain, which he was sorry for. He may be sorry upon his return, as he will find that the farmers at Alexandria, Williams Lake and Chilcoatin are not to be slighted so easily as he thinks. Forty or fifty votes will be quite an object at this next election. Regarding

DAVIE AND EVANS

they visited all the above mentioned places and explained to the people their views, which are very satisfactory to all the settlers, except those who have an interest in road-making, etc., under that able superintendent "Saul" John. I believe he is now on the Creek "spouting" in the interest of Walkem. I am afraid his mission is in vain. It would be much better if he were repairing the road on Carpenter's Mountain, where it is almost impassible. Since the last snow storm, ox teams take five days to make the trip from the 150 mile post to Soda Creek, which is always done in two. This will shew you how the public money has been wasted this summer, in keeping old and worn-out men—who have votes—in throwing mud from one side of the road to the other. I can tell Mr. Beaven that the teamsters are not a bit "pleased thereat." The

QUESNELLE BRIDGE

is progressing very well so far, but the contractor has had to go below to try and get an alteration in the plan, as the channel of the river is laid down in the wrong place. If a pier is put in where the plan says it should be, it would not stand the spring freshets. The matter has been reported to Mr. Beaven, but he would give the contractor no satisfaction, so I believe he has gone to lay the matter at the foot of Mr. Beaven's *throne* and see if he won't alter his plan so that the bridge will be a permanent structure, instead of floating off next summer. If the matter had been attended to, the bridge would have been completed in a month from now, and enable the farmers to take their produce to market without paying a heavy tax in the shape of ferriage. I almost forgot to mention another candidate,

MR. PEARSON,

whose only argument is that any person who opposes the Local Government is a Barnard man and a traitor to his country. That is very poor argument indeed, as I know very well that Pearson would only like to be a Barnard man for a little while, if he thought that he could sell out his two horses and "fish wagon," "which are called an express." I would like to know how much grain Pearson purchases from the farmers during the year. The farmers all over would only like to see one hundred men in the country like Barnard, then they would prosper and have a market for their grain. Yours, etc.,

SETTLER.

Thiberts Strikes New and Rich Diggings.

THIBERTS CREEK, Sept. 26.

EDITOR COLONIST:—There is very little news at present, with the exception that the enterprising Mr. Thiberts has again added fresh laurels to those already won. Finding the present locations on Thiberts Creek nearly exhausted he concluded to try and induce the traders and others on Dease Creek to subscribe and put a shaft down on the upper Thiberts Creek, as it was generally supposed to be rich could they but get to bedrock. However, he had to give up the effort in disgust, as he failed to get any assistance from the very people who had every dollar at stake in the country and would therefore be most benefited by any chance find in their vicinity. He therefore resolved to take a few sturdy miners with him and try it himself, with the following results: In three weeks he constructed an overshot wheel, a thirty-foot pump, flume and wingdam high enough to stand high water, and is down with the shaft 8 feet in gravel which, it is estimated, will pay from $8 to $10 a day to the hand and is quite sanguine of getting bigger prospects on bedrock; and yet the very parties who would not contribute a dollar are arriving daily to stake ground. There are perhaps about 4000 claims located already. The prospect shaft is about 7 miles from the mouth of the creek. It is fair to presume that this creek will now pay to the head. It is over 20 miles long and will afford employment to over 5000 men for years to come. In all probability this will turn out the best camp in the Cassiar district if not the country, and yet we have not a single voice in the affairs of the country, not one man to stand up in the local House of Parliament to represent our wants and advocate our interests, as any intelligent, hardworking, heavily taxed people should have. Is this just towards a people struggling against every disadvantage of season, distance, etc., as we are? No; it is anything but fair or just to disfranchise the people of Cassiar, who ask so little and get less, and who contribute such a large proportion of revenue.

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NOTICE.—In consequence of Mr. J. L. Jungerman's advertisement that he is about to close out his business shortly, I would herewith respectfully solicit the patronage of his former customers, here as well as up country Should they choose to patronize me with their work, I will promise them the strictest attention, combined with the most reasonable prices for firstclass work; and, as I am not leaving the business nor the country, they will have the full benefit of my guarantee for work done or goods sold. A very elegant assortment of watches and jewelry always on hand. See my general advertisement. G. W. A. LANGE, Watchmaker, Victoria, B. C. * *

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LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Money closed dull at 2½@2; Gold 16⅝.

BOSTON, Oct. 18,—The run on the Home Savings Bank continues. Commissioner Geotchen says the bank is able to pay all debentures.

News was received here to-day that on the night of the 5th inst., an entire family, consisting of an aged man a (millionaire named Francois Decoile) his son-in-law, his wife, two sons and a daughter, and the keeper of their villa, were murdered and their house robbed.

Europe.

MADRID, Oct. 17.—It is officially announced that Don Carlos has dismissed from his service Generals Dorregary, Mendi, Velasco and Mogroheze.

BRINDISI, Oct. 17.—The Prince of Wales embarked to-day on his visit to India.

MUNICH, Oct. 16.—The Bavarian Ministry have resigned.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—A special from Berlin states that negotiations with the great powers are in progress, demanding from Turkey a guarantee for the payment in full of the interest on debt after five years.

Central America.

PANAMA, Oct. 9.—Indians surprised and attacked Canos Galvez, on the Chiriqui, and killed over 50 persons.

West Indies.

HAVANA, Oct. 16.—Four steamers have arrived here recently with reinforcements for the Spanish army. The government is drafting horses to mount the troops.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 17.—Italian citizens to-day celebrated the anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus with much spirit.

SAN FRANCISCO, 16.—The Palace Hotel was formally opened to the public this evening, and is now thronged with sightseers.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 17.—The Los Angeles and Independence Railroad ran their first excursion train over their road to day from Santa Monica, making the run at the rate of thirty miles an hour.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 17.—Arrived—Ship Orpheus, Seattle; steamer City of Panama, Victoria and Puget Sound; steamer Great Republic, Hong Kong.

Sailed—Ship General Butler, Port Townsend.

Washington Territory.

PORT DISCOVERY, Oct. 16.—Sailed—Ship Revere, San Francisco.

PORT GAMBLE, Oct. 17.—Arrived—Bark Atlanta, San Francisco.

PORT BLAKELY, Oct. 17.—Sailed—Brig Lucy Ann, San Buenaventura.

PORT TOWNSEND, Oct. 18.—Arrived—Barks Videlte, and Forest Queen, San Francisco.

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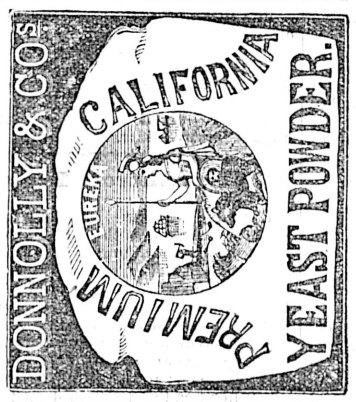

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